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TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, May 17.

Small pox is raging in Mexico. Louis Clovis Bonaparte is dead. The miners strike in Nova Scotia is becoming serious.

The wages of Kingston cotton mill employees are reduced.

Sir Wm. Booker, British consul general at New York, is to retire.

Hon. Mr. Reed addressed the Vancouver board of trade on Tuesday.

New York had a \$300,000 blaze yesterday. Fifty horses were cremated.

Harcourt is expected to change his portfolio in the British cabinet shortly.

Three hundred people were killed in a railway accident in San Salvador.

By a fire in Boston 190 buildings were destroyed and 10,000 people are homeless.

Present crop conditions in Manitoba and the Northwest are reported very favorable.

The United States desires to withdraw from the Berlin agreement regarding Samoa.

One hundred Idaho families will drive from that State to Alberta during the summer.

Steamers are cancelling engagements for St. Lawrence cargoes owing to dullness of trade.

Six persons were drowned by the capsizing of a pleasure boat on river Oswell, England.

One hundred and forty federal troops are reported to have been killed by insurgents in battle in Brazil.

The United States Government intend to erect a large smelter near the boundary to treat Canadian nickel ore.

The degree of L.L.D. will be conferred by Toronto university on Lord Aberdeen, Hon. G. W. Ross and others.

An artist and his three unmarried sisters committed suicide together at Vienna to avoid dying before each other.

A storm in Minnesota and western Wisconsin on Tuesday night and Wednesday caused over \$500,000 damages.

A terrible atrocity is reported from Moscow. A keeper who informed on wood stealing peasants had his tongue torn out.

Father Ledue has written a letter denying the statements made in the commons by Davin concerning Northwest school matters.

At the Austin, Texas, regatta on Tuesday Gaudaur and Peterson were winners in the trial heats of single 3 miles race with Durnan and Teemer as seconds.

The Ontario legislature has been dissolved and writs for the general election are issued. Nominations take place on June 19th and elections on 26th.

A desperate fight occurred between orange-men and Catholics at an orangemen's funeral in Dublin. One man was shot dead and several seriously injured.

Premier Castelar, of Spain, has stated in the Cortes that the most disastrous naval warfare the world ever saw would result if England attempted to seize Tangiers.

The Australian government will insist on the abrogation of the tripartite arrangement in Samoa. England's action may depend on the result of the Canadian conference.

Welsh members of the Imperial parliament at a public meeting declared that the attitude of Welsh representatives must be more independent and less servile to the government in future.

Wm. Hart, of Kingston will be taken into the cabinet as provincial secretary and Gibson will be made commissioner of public works. Fraser has been appointed inspector of registry offices and forestry.

In the Canadian commons Martin while the Northwest ballot bill was under consideration accused Daly of having acted in a bumptious and offensive manner. Daly rose to reply but the premier stopped him.

LOCAL.

MUD. MORE rain.

TRAIN on time.

BUTTER is 25c. to 30c. and scarce.

THE river has risen a little since the rain.

A. McNicol, went to Calgary on Tuesday's train.

T. W. LINES went to Calgary on Tuesday's train.

A. McT. Campbell, agent of the Canada Life, is in town.

C. GALLAGHER returned from Victoria last evening by team.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Edmiston are expected to arrive on to-night's train.

Mrs. P. DALY and daughter returned from a visit to Ontario on Monday's train.

DR. A. F. IBBOTSON goes to Fort Saskatchewan to-morrow to remain over Saturday.

BROWN & CURRY are preparing to take down their present store building and erect a story and half frame building 22x36 with warehouse in rear 20x22. A one story addition 12x36 will adjoin the east side of the building.

Mrs. Emma Shaw Colclough, of Selkirk, Man., will start for Edmonton about May 20th on a trip through the Athabasca and Mackenzie river region. Mrs. Colclough visited Edmonton on the Calgary excursion of August 10th, 1891, as correspondent of the Boston Transcript. During the past winter she delivered several interesting lectures in Winnipeg describing her travels in Hawaii and Alaska. She might be induced to lecture in Edmonton on her arrival.

A CIRCULAR regarding wool prices received from John Hallam, wholesale dealer in wool, hides and leather, Toronto, holds out very little hope of an advance in prices of wool. Unwashed fleece wools are quoted as follows: Leicester Cotswold and other bright wools..... 8c. to 9c. Shropshire, good sound staples 10c. to 11c. Pure Southdown..... 11c. to 12c. Rejections, including black, chaffy and soiled wools..... 11c. to 12c. Washed wools are quoted at 15c. to 16c. for all long haired bright wools and 18c. to 20c. for Southdown and Shropshire. These no doubt are the prices in Toronto.

REV. MR. HANNA is still confined to bed by illness.

REV. DR. ROBERTSON left on Tuesday's train on a visitation tour along the line.

W. B. STENNETT purchased a \$132 lot of fur on Wednesday from Macdonnell & Co., of Beers Hill.

THE Raymond hotel, South Edmonton, is closed and the furniture and fittings will be auctioned at the building shortly.

MRS. McNAMARA, mother of P. L. and D. J. McNamara arrived from Calgary on Monday's train to reside in Edmonton.

THE machinery for the Edmonton creamery arrived on Monday's train. The creamery is expected to be in operation by June 1st.

THE Masonic Grand lodge of Manitoba meets in Banff on or about June 13th, 14th and 15th. Arrangements are in progress by Edmonton masons to secure special rates from Edmonton to Banff and return.

Wm. B. Darwis, agent for the Manufacturers Life Association, arrived on Tuesday from Calgary by train. He says that travel over the Calgary trail is now nearly as heavy as before the railway was built, particularly at the southern end.

The rain which began falling on Monday morning continued until Wednesday, when the weather cleared a little. This morning is threatening again. The ground is now well soaked and vegetation will come on rapidly. The winds have ceased and also the frosty nights. In fact summer is here. Grain is up generally all over the country and making good growth. Seeding is well advanced, only barley remaining to be sown. Even during the dry weather the grain grew, as the soil had not become dried out.

TOWN COUNCIL.

WEDNESDAY, May 16.

Communication's were received from the Canadian Miller, re flour mill advertisement; S. S. Taylor re university; P. Heimnuck & Co. re extension of Queen street; certain citizens petitioning for a sidewalk; Beck & Emery re extension of McDougall street; Board of Trade enclosing letter from the Western Publishing & Advertising Co.

The finance committee recommended payment of the following accounts:

Moore & Macdowall lumber.....\$13.36

Goodridge & Kelly, 2 loads wood..... 6.00

Electric Light Co., light..... 38.42

Fire Brigade band, services..... 15.50

A. Cameron, fixing crossings, etc..... 15.00

S. Moran, coal..... 5.80

Beck & Emery, disbursements regarding lot 1, river lot 8..... 6.25

K. A. McLeod, wood shed for fire hall, 72.53

\$173.86

McDougall—Strang moved that the report be adopted.

The board of works reported regarding water tanks.

Sutter—McDougall, moved that the clerk be instructed to call for tenders for the raising and refitting of one of the water tanks. Tank to pass inspection 15 days after filling.

The clerk was instructed to notify the superintendent of government telegraphs that some of the telegraph poles in town were rotten and dangerous and should be replaced by better poles.

The clerk was instructed to notify Jas. McDonald to remove all lumber and rubbish left in rear of the fire hall after its completion.

Strang—Picard, That the board of trade be notified that the council does not deem it advisable to incur any further expenditure for advertising purposes.

Picard—Ross, That the mayor and councillors Strang and McDougall be a committee to confer with the solicitors regarding the tramway bill, and that the solicitors be authorized to telegraph Mr. Latchford of Ottawa, for particulars as to reason of refusal of the bill by the sub-committee.

Strang—Picard, That the offer of P. Heimnuck & Co. regarding the extension of Queen street be accepted on consideration that David MacDougall carries out his agreement as to the extension of College avenue to the west line of lot occupied by J. Cameron's store.

Sutter—McDougall, Moved in amendment that the matter be laid over for two weeks for a full meeting of the council. Amendment carried.

McDougall—Strang, Moved that the clerk be authorized to issue orders for the payment of debenture interest coupons, and that the action of the clerk in paying certain coupons be confirmed.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Monday.

Alberta—Thos. Henderson, Honey Glade; M. Brousseau, H. W. McKenney, & Louis Vanter, St. Albert; Mr. Lindow, Mr. and Mrs. Atkins, Ft. Saskatchewan; Mrs. McNamara, Calgary; E. M. Payant, J. C. Payant, J. St. Albert; Fred. Samis, Jacob Voss, McLaughlin, Sturgeon; F. Hamilton, Wetaskiwin; A. McT. Campbell, Winnipeg; N. Williams, Montreal.

Queen's—J. B. Langlois, St. Albert; J. Beliveau, Calgary; A. Lamoureux, Ft. Saskatchewan; J. J. Levine, St. Albert; J. R. Miquelon, Calgary; J. St. Laurent, Enfield, Minnesota; W. B. Barwis, Calgary.

Jasper—H. Edmiston, F. Edmiston, Clover Bar; F. K. Gibson, East Edmonton; C. H. Davenport and wife, Portland, Oregon; Geo. Murdoch, R. J. Thomson, F. Pymon, Calgary; F. H. Braine, Jas. Stewart, Clover Bar; C. Blain, Kelowna, B.C.; Thos. Nixon, Winnipeg; Jas. Graham, Ft. Saskatchewan; J. C. Squiregriggs, Sturgeon.

Columbia—A. H. Mennie, Thos. E. Russell, Ft. Saskatchewan; M. D. Harrigan; John Hall, O. N. Lavallee, Morinville; G. Sarazin, J. Cummings, Sturgeon.

Winnipeg Tribune, May 8: About one hundred and fifty Germans left this morning for points along the Calgary & Edmonton railway. There were only nine arrivals for the province this morning.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE WILLING WORKERS

Will hold a garden party and sale of fancy work, on All Saints Church grounds, Friday, June 1st, commencing at 3 o'clock. Admission 10 cents. Children 5 cents. High tea will be served from 5 to 7. Tea 50 cents, children half price. The band will be in attendance.

Horses for Sale.

To arrive 17th inst., one carload of well bred horses—mares and geldings. May be seen at Eclipse Stables.

WOODLEY & OSTRANDER.

TOWN OF EDMONTON



TENDERS.

Are hereby called for the raising and refitting of one or more of the water tanks owned by the Municipality. Tanks to pass inspection fifteen days after filling. Tenders to be in by noon on Wednesday the 30th instant. Particulars from Mr. Jas. Ross, chairman of board of works.

A. G. RANDALL, Town Clerk.

POST : OFFICE : DRUG STORE.

Has a full line and well assorted stock of Pure Drugs. Toilet Soaps, Perfumes, Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes and Sponges, also a line of Pure Fruit Flavorings and Lime Juice for the coming hot weather.

Prescriptions and Family Receipts filled with care and despatch.

G. H. Graydon,
CHEMIST & DRUGGIST.
Telephone No. 20.

We Have What You Want

In Men's Furnishings.
In Ready-Made Clothing.
In Hats and Caps.
In Fine Tweeds for Ordered Work.
In Worsted Coatings.
In all lines of above goods.

N.B.—Our \$12.00 Ready-Made Suit is the CHEAPEST Suit in the market. But if you want a Suit for \$5.00 or any other price just see our stock.

Sutter & Dunlop,
GENTS' OUTFITTERS.

CITY

Carriage : Works !
1000 Carriages and 500 Wagons Wanted

At once at the City Carriage Works to be repaired, repainted and trimmed in first class style at the lowest prices. All work warranted to give satisfaction. Call and inspect our stock of lumber, hubs, spokes and rims. Also a good supply of carriage trimmings, cushions, backs, etc. New work built to order.
Remember the old stand. Established 1880.
Corner of Jasper and Nemayo Avenues,
Edmonton, Alberta.

Horses for Sale !

Just received one carload of fine young general purpose horses—mares and geldings.

Cheap for Cash - -

Oats or potatoes taken in exchange as part payment.
Enquire of
P. DALY or J. D. CLARKE.
or at the corral next the skating rink.

H. B. Co.

The Reasons Why

It will pay you to buy from the H. B. Co.'s.

Because our Boots and Shoes are manufactured specially for us by the best Canadian and American makers.

Because at the prices we sell them they offer the best value for your money.

Because for men's wear they are the cheapest and most durable.

Because for ladies' wear we show a more complete and varied stock than any house in town.

Because for Misses, Boys and Children our stock is complete.

Because for all we offer you a choice, whether you aim at appearance, ease or durability, or a combination of all these qualities.

We are offering special lines of Bicycle and Tennis Shoes.

Each change in weather as the warm season approaches brings with it the necessity for a change of headwear. Just now we want to sell you

Straw Hats.

Gentlemen—Before purchasing elsewhere call in and price our Straws. They are this season's newest shapes, and like our Felts are the lowest in price offered here.

Ladies—We have the daintiest and prettiest shapes in Sailors' and Fancy Straws at marvelously low prices.

The same may be said of our Girls' and Child's Sailor Straws, which for value defy competition.

Cowboy Hats.

We have just opened our J. B. Stetson No. 1 quality Men's Cowboy Hats. These Hats wear well and keep their shape. Don't be deceived with imitations.

Athletes and Cyclists

Buy your Suits, Caps, Jerseys, Shirts, Belts and Stockings, etc. from us and save your money by doing so.

Dress Goods.

There are still a few of those costume lengths left. They are the latest, and if you require a dress, one can be secured very cheaply by purchasing from us.

Soon the cry will be "Oh, this sultry hot day." Be ready for such days and have one of those light beautiful dresses from our stock of all wool Delaines at 25cts. a yard, cotton Pongees, you can scarcely tell when made from silk, at 17cts. a yard. Zephyrs, Scotch Ginghams, Lawns in colors and Cashmerettes in black grounds, with the sweetest patterns in Sprays at 17c. a yard.

These goods make ideal dresses, beautiful in appearance and economical.

THE
Hudson's Bay Co.

(Incorporated 1870.)

Summer Lace Hats. SUMMER STRAW HATS

- AT -

Miss Charbonneau's

Several shades in Felt. A large stock of Fancy Work. DRESSMAKING ! — First class work, latest styles and lowest prices.

Give me a call. No trouble to show goods.

Ladies . . .

Concerning your new dress ! What shall it be made of ?

If its to be a calico dress there is nothing more varied in style and price than our stock of Calicos from 8 to 15c. Prints with linen effects 15c.

If its to be a Woollen Dress there is nothing to beat our All Wool Navy Serge (1/2) 75c.

" " Grey (1/2) 60c.

" " Cashmere 50c.

" " Challys 40c.

" " Delaines 35c.

There is something about our goods which satisfy the most particular of customers, and YOU are invited to come and find out what it is.

J. A. McDougall.
Main Street West.

MEDICAL TREATMENT

Of horses and other domestic animals through correspondence. Send particulars of your case, enclosing two dollars, to W. A. ALLEN, V.S., (Veterinary for Alberta) who in turn will send you medicine and advice. The treatment of cancerous growths, tumors, etc., a specialty.
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T. B. HENDERSON,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
Across from J. A. McDougall's Store.
—GOOD WORK AND LOW PRICES—

South Edmonton.
BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

LEGAL.

MERVYN MACKENZIE,
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, NOTARY PUBLIC, &c.
Office—Whyte Avenue, South Edmonton.

MEDICAL.

D. BALDWIN, Office and residence, Hotel Edmonton, South Edmonton.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

R. MCKERNAN,
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES
SOUTH EDMONTON.

BLACKSMITH.

R. A. HULBERT,
Blacksmith and wagon maker. General repairing promptly attended to. Horse shoeing a specialty. Corner Whyte Avenue and Main Street, South Edmonton.

MACHINE SHOP.

JACKSON BROS.
Mechanists. Engines, Boilers, and all kinds of Agricultural and other Machinery repaired. Steam Engines, Injectors and brass fittings on hand.

"Goldfinder"

Heavy :: Draught :: Stallion.

—BRIGHT BAY—

Will stand for service at his own stable, Lower Ferry.

Insurance, \$8.00. GEO. WEST, Proprietor.



MONTGOMERY & CO.
Harnessmakers & Saddlers. Full line of Horse Furnishings constantly on hand. Repairing done promptly. West side Ross Street, FORT SASKATCHEWAN, ALBERTA.

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Printed Monday and Thursday evenings.
Subscription \$2 a year, in advance.

Transient advertisements: Five lines and under, three insertions and under \$1, or 10 cents a line last insertion and 5 cents a line each week or part of week later.

Standing advertisement—50 cts a line for 3 months.

FRANK OLIVER, — PROPRIETOR.

EDMONTON BULLETIN, MAY 17TH 1894.

DUNDEE COURIER.

The following is the closing letter of Andrew Osler, special commissioner of the Dundee, Scotland Courier, regarding the Edmonton district:

On our return journey from Clover Bar to Edmonton, Mr. Walter made a detour on purpose to see a large extent of prairie which he had rented at a few coppers per acre from the Government for hay. The sward was largely composed of peavine. He would yield about three tons per acre. He thought it about ready for cutting, and intended to start quite a number of mowing machines in a day or two, the only obstruction to the working of the machines being the anthills, which, I am sure, would prove a serious bother. Near Edmonton we came upon a large parcel of land which Mr. Walter had purchased some years ago, a great part of it being broken and under crop. Mr. Walter has few buildings to speak of on his farm. His crops are really grand. He computes he has 60 bushels of barley upon first breaking (that is the first crop after the prairie has been broken up), 70 bushels oats upon second breaking, and 40 bushels wheat per acre, and I am sure that no one who saw his crops grow would estimate them at less. Mr. Walter keeps on an average 100 head of cattle. He generally feeds off at three years of age, but sometimes has a few four-year-olds.

Every morning during winter a man distributes a load of prairie hay amongst them, each animal consuming about 15 tons of hay during the winter season, and the feeding steers get 1 gallon, gristled barley a day. The young animals not feeding off get nothing but hay, but are constantly out on the prairie, where they pick up a good deal of food for their own support. Last year Mr. Walter sold 21 three-year-old steers in one lot to a British Columbian dealer. The gross live weight of the 21 animals was 26,068 lbs., and the total price obtained was \$938.45, this making the average live weight 1241 lbs., the average price \$45 per head, and the average rate per cwt. 16s. 10d. He also sold two three-year-old cattle to the Hudson Bay Company at \$10 each. Another gentleman named McKernan, a neighbor of Mr. Walter's, sold 28 cattle—all three-year-olds—the gross weight of which was 34,079 lbs., or 1220 lbs. per head. The price obtained was \$3.60 per 100 lbs., or \$9 13s. per head. Neither Mr. Walter's nor Mr. McKernan's cattle were ever in a house. Mr. Walter pays his farm laborers \$15—\$3 a month, with rations; and his carpenters \$14—6s. 3d. a day, with rations. In the south town of Edmonton—that is on the south side of the river—there is a new flouring mill, erected by and owned by the Edmonton Flour Milling Company, and managed by Robert Ritchie, who kindly showed us through the works. It is fitted up on the patent roller flour milling principle, with a capacity of turning out 100 barrels of flour a day.

Although, as I said before, the town of Edmonton is not well supplied with water, the country around is well watered with running streams and creeks, and where wells have to be dug, water is always found within 20 or 30 feet of the surface. Digging and building a well costs \$1 per foot. On our return to Edmonton in the evening we found a regular fete provided for us, for, as we were to leave in the morning, quite a number of friends that we had made had collected to spend the evening with us in conversation. Naturally the talk turned upon the embargo imposed upon Canadian store cattle in Britain, and much indignation was expressed as to the attitude of the Home Government in regard to them. None of those present had ever heard of the existence of pleuro-pneumonia in the Dominion, except through the British newspapers, and none of them believed that the disease existed or ever did exist in the country. Before leaving Edmonton I would like to draw the attention of struggling farmers at home and middle-aged ploughmen with large families to the splendid chance which awaits them in this district. They themselves and every son they have over eighteen years of age will get 100 acres of as good land as there is under the sun for practically nothing, the small sum of \$2 only being to pay for registration and office fees. If they have five sons that will be an estate of close on a thousand acres they will get amongst them for £10. Nor will the girls be in the way. Dairying pays first-rate in all the Northwest Provinces, there being a steady demand and ready market for butter at from 10d to 16d per lb., and cheese bringing 5d per lb. The rearing of poultry also pays well. Common hens bring from 2s to 2s 6d per pair, and chickens from 10 to 12 cents per lb. Turkeys bring from 12 to 15 cents per lb., and eggs sell at from 15 to 25 cents per lb. These prices are not much below what we obtain here, and with no rent to pay for the land the industry must be much more lucrative there than here, and female labor relatively more valuable. Consequently dairymaids are greatly in demand and receive good wages. No farmer out there can get on well without a wife to look after his housekeeping and dairy business, but there are hundreds upon hundreds of prosperous young farmers who cannot get wives, for the simple reason that there are very few young women out there to make wives of. On some farms men do the milking, drive the churns, and make up butter, but men at this job are just like fish out of water, and women are at all times to be preferred. Let any number of our bonnie rosy-checked Scottish lassies accustomed to housekeeping and dairying go out there, and prove themselves adept at these occupations, and I will guarantee that before a twelve months are over they will have the refusing of a score of respectable well-to-do young farmers, any one of whom would make a desirable husband. But to both men and women I would say, "Don't go out there and expect to achieve an independence by leading an idle life." The person who would succeed must be prepared to work, ay, and work hard too. Labor is dear, dearer even than here, and a farmer is obliged to take the leading part in all his own operations. If he has a large family to

act as helps, he will be all the better off, for out there

"Children are blessings, and he who hath most Hath aid for his fortune and riches to boast."

And nowhere in the world is Nature more prodigal of her gifts than she is out there to the man who steadily and energetically "earns his bread in the sweat of his brow." But to a man accustomed to farm work here the work he will have to perform will not be one bit harder out there. And to say, as I have often heard it said, that a person going out has to forfeit all the pleasures of life is mere nonsense. There the people are just as social, as friendly, and as neighborly as they are here. They live as well as we do, if not better, and they have their seasons of leisure, when they join at social meetings, festive gatherings, and sports of every description, and enjoy the pleasures of life just as heartily and well as we do in the old country.

SUPREME COURT JUDGMENTS.

The following civil cases have been decided:

Boulais vs. King (sheriff). Action for \$500 damages for illegal seizure. Action dismissed with costs. J. C. F. Bown for plaintiff, S. S. Taylor for defendant.

Dickson & Wilkie vs. McNutt. Action on account of \$40. Judgment for plaintiffs with costs. S. S. Taylor for plaintiff. M. McKenzie for defendant.

Levinge vs. Brunelle. Action for \$39, balance of wages. There was no agreement as to amount of wages. Action on "quantum meruit." Judgment for plaintiff for \$5.50 and costs. S. S. Taylor for plaintiff. C. M. Woodworth for defendant.

Robertson vs. Byers & Co. Action for amount of note of \$36 given for rent. Judgment for plaintiff with costs. S. S. Taylor for plaintiff, defendant not appearing.

A. H. Goodwin vs. J. Roberge. Action for return of money representing first payment on lots bought through F. Heiman & Co., agent for defendant who was owner of the lots. It appeared that defendant at first refused to sanction the sale of the lots. He afterwards sanctioned it, but upon signing the agreement which had already been executed by plaintiff struck out a material paragraph. Plaintiff refused to accept the agreement as altered and demanded the return of his money treating the alteration as a new offer made by defendant, which new offer plaintiff refused and brought suit for the money paid. Judgment reserved. C. M. Woodworth for plaintiff. N. D. Beck for defendant.

Kaiser vs. Whitney. Action for wages, about \$50. Action dismissed with costs. C. M. Woodworth for plaintiff. S. S. Taylor for defendant.

G. Sarazin vs. A. F. Martin. Action for wages and use of horses and harness on survey last season. Defendant claimed as a set off work improperly done by plaintiff and neglect of duty to full amount of plaintiff's claim. Defendant upon trial moved to withdraw the set off and counter claim and also the defence. Leave was granted to withdraw the set off and counter claim, but was refused as to the defence. Judgment for plaintiff for \$227.29 and costs. S. S. Taylor for plaintiff. N. D. Beck for defendant.

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- In Men's Furnishings.
- In Ready-Made Clothing.
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- In Fine Tweeds for Ordered Work.
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Remember the old stand. Established 1880. Corner of Jasper and Nemay Avenues, Edmonton, Alberta.

EDMONTON DYE WORKS —Birchner & Mayerhofer,—

PROPRIETORS.
Near Electric Light Works.

All orders promptly attended to and first-class work guaranteed.

FARMS for SALE

—IN—
ST. ALBERT SETTLEMENT
The oldest and best farming district in the Northwest. From 160 to 1,000 acres in a block, with or without improvements, from \$2.50 to \$12.00 per acre.

D. MALONEY,
POST OFFICE BLOCK, ST. ALBERT.

Wool :: Wanted!

Kinnaird, Shaw & Co., of Midnapore Woollen Mills

Are open to receive wool in exchange for Blankets, Flannels, Tweeds, Yarns, Flannel Shirts, Vests and Drawers, etc., at fair prices, or for cash. Wool to be shipped to Midnapore siding, C. & E. Railway.

Address, BOX 96, CALGARY.
April 9th, 1894. 47-55

Reduced Duties! . . .
. . . Reduced Prices!

Hutton & Haddon

Sell the McCormick Binders and Mowers, the best machines in the world, at 15 per cent. below last year's prices. Van Burt Seed Drill, Cockshutt Disc Harrows, Wilson Mfg. Co.'s Disc Harrows, Iron Harrows, Breaking Plows, Stubble Plows, Combined Stubble and Breaking Plows, Brush Breakers, Sulky Plows—single and double furrow, Diamond Point Cultivators for cleaning weeds from root crops, Bain Wagons, Adams Wagons, Carriages, Buggies and Democratics, Patent Clothes Lines. Call and see them. The latest thing out. A car load of best make McCormick binder twine, 600 feet to the ball, to arrive. Orders taken now or later.

Self-Raising Flour!

Requires no Yeast,
Cream of Tartar or Baking Powder.

TRY A PACKAGE AT

Garipey AND Chenier.

British Columbia Lumber.

Just arrived, two cars Dressed Flooring, Ceiling and Siding, Shingles and Lath. Tamarac Posts for sale.

F. A. OSBORNE,
Second Street H.B. property.

Sheriff's Sale!

NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES,
TO-WIT:

By virtue of a Writ of Execution, issued out of the Supreme Court of the North-West Territories Judicial District of North Alberta, at the suit of St. George Jellist, and to me directed against the Lands of The Edmonton and Saskatchewan Land Company, Limited.

I have seized and taken into Execution the following lands, namely:

The north west 1/4 of section No. 31, and south west quarter section 33, T. 54, R. 24.

The south half of north east quarter of section No. 20, T. 53, R. 23.

The north west quarter of section No. 20, T. 53, R. 23.

The north west quarter of section No. 27, T. 54, R. 24.

The west half of section No. 19, T. 53, R. 24.

The north half and south east quarter section No. 19, T. 54, R. 23.

The north west quarter section No. 35, T. 54, R. 23.

All west of 11th meridian.

Which I shall expose for sale on Tuesday the 24th day of July 1894, at Sheriff's Office Edmonton at the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE,
Edmonton, April 19th 1894.

per W. S. ROBERTSON,
Deputy Sheriff.

Water. :-:- Water.

500 Families Wanted to Furnish With Water.

500 House and Stable yards to Clean.

500 Gardens to plow. General term work of all kinds. Town Scavenger. Orders may be left at C. P. R. Land Office, and will be promptly attended to.

W. F. STUDEBAKER.

LAFFERTY & MOORE, IN LIQUIDATION.

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Dated this 19th day of April, A. D. 1894.

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A Chance to Improve Your STOCK.

Mr. Joseph Reid,

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Cattle, Sheep and Hogs,

Also a few good Bulls in lots from one to a car load.

Send your orders at once and give me a chance to select from the choicest herds in Eastern Ontario. All kinds of stock furnished in bulk from one dozen to one thousand head.

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All home made, as well as all kinds of fresh meats, constantly on hand.

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Harness made to Order. First-class Stock and Workmanship guaranteed.

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FOR SALE.

The following registered

CLYDESDALE STALLIONS:

Tony Lumkin, (1890),

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These Stallions will be 3 years old this spring, and by imported Stallions and out of registered mares are born in Alberta and guaranteed sound. Call and see them, or write for full particulars and prices to

W. BELL IRVING,

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P.S.—Also a number of good teams and saddle horses (mares or geldings) for sale, or will trade for cattle.



EDMONTON VS. BROWN.

The following is the judgment delivered by the supreme court in the appealed case of the town of Edmonton vs. Brown. The judgment was delivered by Justice Gwynne. After having stated the facts and the pleadings the learned judge proceeded as follows:

"Now the piece of land designated above by the letter 'A' is that which, on the above plan 'A' made by George Simpson in 1882 for Mr. Pritchard, and of a portion of which the plan 'A' which is the one mentioned in the above letters patent is a facsimile, is designated as belonging to Mr. Oliver above mentioned. That marked letter 'K' is the lot which on the Pritchard plan is marked as belonging to Hogarth; that marked 'V' is the lot numbered forty of the Pritchard plan. That marked with the letter 'P' is the one marked on the Pritchard plan as belonging to J. Brown (the plaintiff of that name) that marked with the letter 'R' is that upon which the name of Sanderson is entered in the Pritchard plan; that marked with the letter 'T' is part of the plan upon which in the Pritchard plan is entered the name of Lauder, all of which persons were the petitioners in 1886 for letters patent to be granted to them. Now if these pieces of land, the lot 'P' as above granted to the plaintiffs and the lots designated by the letters 'R,' 'S' and 'V' about for their southerly boundaries upon the northern limit of the street called Jasper avenue as shown on the Pritchard plan and the plan mentioned in the letters patent in accordance with which plan the lots were granted, and the pieces marked respectively with the letters 'A' and 'K' are lots the northern boundaries of which about upon the southerly limit of the said Jasper avenue as shown on said plan; it is obvious therefore that the space marked upon the plan as Jasper avenue, in accordance with which plan alone the lots abutting on that street are granted, was dedicated by the Crown as used for a street or public highway, to no part of which can the plaintiffs or any other persons, grantees of lots abutting on that street assert any claim whatever. The fact that the terms of the letters patent to Pritchard are such as to convey to him the whole of the river lot Ten, except the excepted parts can make no difference, for even though it should be held that the soil of what is designated as Jasper avenue on the plan in accordance with which his letters patent were granted, it could only so pass as sub-letters patent, it could only so pass as subject to the public easement of being used as a street and public highway, which being situated within the municipality of the town of Edmonton is subject to the jurisdiction of the said municipality by chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the Territories, and having such jurisdiction the municipality, there can be no doubt, are entitled to maintain the present suit. The appeal must therefore be dismissed with costs.

The case of Fisher vs. Prouse (2 B & S. 770) relied upon by the defendants was a case very different from the present. The question there was whether a cellar flap of the defendant's house, which although being in the footwalk of a public street had existed in the same condition as far back as living memory went, was unlawful and so subjected the defendant for maintaining to liability for injury sustained therefrom by the persons using the foot walk; and that it must be presumed that an erection made so far back was lawfully erected and that the dedication was made subsequently and subject to the right to maintain the erection.

In Robbins vs. Jones (15 C.B.N.S. 290) the point decided was to the like effect, so likewise was that decided in Mercer vs. Woodgate (L.R. 5 Q.B. 26).

The principle upon which these cases proceeded was that where the owner of the piece of land having upon it a structure lawfully erected thereon, dedicated the piece of land to the use of the public as a highway, the dedication in such a case is to be taken as having been made so far subject to the structure that the public using the highway must incur the inconvenience and risk arising from the obstruction caused by the structure so long as it is permitted to remain there. The dedication of a piece of land for a highway having upon it a structure erected by himself is under no obligation to remove it, nor is he after the dedication liable to any person using the highway sustaining injury from the obstruction.

These cases have no application to a case like the present where the defendants unlawfully erected the structure in question upon unsurveyed land of the Crown, and have unlawfully maintained it since. The piece of land whereon it was so erected was dedicated by the Crown for a public highway, and where the sole question is as to the right of the defendants still to maintain it and so to deprive the public of the use of the piece of the highway upon which it stands of the fact of dedication of which as a public street there cannot in my opinion be any doubt.

In the present case there is no pretence of the defendants having ever had any right as against the Crown to erect and maintain a log house which obstructs the street in front of lot 'P' granted by the Crown to them for about one third of its width.

The defendants obtained their letters patent for their lot 'P' having its boundaries precisely as shown in Pritchard's plan 'A' made in 1882 and precisely that the defendants had in 1886 petitioned that it should be granted. They obtained the only title they have to their lot according to a plan which shows the southerly limit of a piece in front of their lot of eighty feet in width dedicated by the Crown as for a public street. To hold that in such a case it is to be presumed that the dedication by the Crown was subject to the right of the defendants to maintain an obstruction which when erected by them was so erected without any right whatever in law, would be, in my opinion a perversion of common sense.

In regard to the foregoing very strong opinion expressed by Mr. Justice Gwynne it may be mentioned that Mr. Justice Selkirk and Mr. Justice King stated that they concurred in the judgment with great hesitation.

It is definitely stated that A. W. Ross will succeed Lieutenant-Governor Schultz, of Manitoba, shortly. This will mean a new election in Linger.

Winnipeg Tribune, May 8: About one hundred and fifty Germans left this morning for points along the Calgary & Edmonton railway. There were only nine arrivals for the province this morning.

BOARD OF TRADE.

A special general meeting of the Edmonton board of trade was held in the council chamber on Tuesday evening last, the vice-president J. A. McDougall in the chair.

Moved by Messrs W. S. Robertson and F. Marriaght that the report of the committee on dues be adopted. Carried. This fixes the entrance fee at \$5, and the annual dues at \$5.00.

Moved by Messrs Kirkpatrick and Walker that the following memorial regarding a resident judge be adopted:

Whereas the Edmonton board of trade has learned that the government has decided to centralize the judicial business of Alberta at Calgary by removing to that city Judge McLeod; And

Whereas by such centralization the government recognizes the necessity for having another judge to relieve in some measure the press of work of the present judges; And

Whereas that owing to the large immigration into this part of Northern Alberta judicial district, law business has been and is likely to be largely increased; And

Whereas the law costs as now fixed by law are a heavy tax on settlers, these costs are largely increased by the agency fees at Calgary; And

Whereas the costs of suit and agency fees being so excessive and the incident delays so vexatious that suitors are deterred from seeking justice, submitting to injustice and wrong rather than incur such costs and delay; And

Whereas it is recognized as one of the first duties of a government to provide for the cheap and speedy administration of justice to all its subjects; And

Whereas the people of Edmonton had been led to believe that when another judge was appointed for Alberta this part of Northern Alberta judicial district would be created into a separate judicial district presided over by a single judge, having his residence at the town of Edmonton; And

Whereas there is no duty that could be performed better by having two resident judges at Calgary than by having one at each of the two chief towns of Alberta, namely, Calgary and Edmonton; And

Whereas the amount of judicial business at present done in Edmonton equals that of Calgary and exceeds that of every other judicial district in the Northwest, being about four times as great as that of either the Saskatchewan or Southern Alberta judicial districts;

Therefore this board earnestly protests against any action of the government tending to centralize the law business of this district at Calgary; And would earnestly urge upon the government the immediate necessity for erecting this part of Alberta into a separate judicial district presided over by a single judge residing at the town of Edmonton.

Carried unanimously.
Copies of the resolution are to be sent to the minister of justice and the minister of interior with explanatory letters.
Meeting adjourned.

45 Horse Power Engine and Boiler

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Complete outfit. Good order. A bargain.
Apply to JOYNER & ELKINGTON,
Fort Qu'Appelle.

SEED GRAIN.

Seed Oats,
Seed Barley,
Seed Wheat,
For Sale.

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Largest stock of Seeds in Alberta. All kinds and varieties at Eastern Prices, freight added. Cash paid for good clean Timothy Seed and Potatoes. Examine my stock and be convinced that it is better to buy in Edmonton than abroad.

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Business of J. Looby & Co. has opened out a full stock in their late premises, Jasper Avenue, Edmonton, and is prepared to supply the public with anything and everything in the harness line, at the lowest possible prices.

Walter & Crockett,

BLACKSMITHS,
Carriage Makers and General Repairers.

The largest stock of Wagons and Carriage fittings, and repairs, such as Springs, Wheels, Axles, Hubs, Spokes, Wagon Skins, etc., in the Northwest now arriving.
Special attention paid to horseshoeing.
Boats built to order.

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Telephone connection with Edmonton and South Edmonton.

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JAS. DINNEN,
Office at M. McCauley's stable

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Ross' Estate.
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Sub-division of River Lots 12 and 14.
Choice business lots on Main Street.
Well established General Store doing a splendid business.

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Fancy Goods, Books and Stationery, go to

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SOUTH EDMONTON,
Adjoining - Railway - Station,
Is prepared to furnish

Seed Barley,
Seed Oats,
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Best brands of flour Wholesale and Retail.
— CASH —
Paid for any quantity of potatoes at highest prices.

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS marked "For Mounted Police Provisions and Light Supplies," and addressed to the Honourable the President of the Privy Council, Ottawa, will be received up to noon on Monday, 4th June, 1894.

Printed forms of tender containing full information as to the articles and approximate quantities required, may be had on application at any of the Mounted Police Posts in the Northwest, or at the office of the undersigned.

No tender will be received unless made on such printed forms.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted Canadian bank cheque for an amount equal to ten per cent of the total value of the articles tendered for, which will be forfeited if the party declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the service contracted for. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.

No payment will be made to newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority having been first obtained.
FRED. WHITE,
Comptroller N. W. M. Police
Ottawa, April 23rd, 1894.

EDMONTON HARDWARE Co.,

Successors to CHAVE & CORRIVEAU.

Have opened out in the new TAYLOR BLOCK with a full stock of

HARDWARE STOVES,

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Glass, Paints and Oils.

Camp Stoves, Camping Outfits and settlers supplies, Trace Chains

Building Paper. Garden Tools, etc. Dairy Supplies.

Hats! Hats! Hats

In all the Newest Styles.
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And at prices to suit every purchaser.

BOOTS! BOOTS! BOOTS!

In endless variety, styles and quality.

I may state that having bought largely for cash I am now prepared to give such value in these lines as was never before offered in town.

JOHN CAMERON.

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A CHOICE STOCK OF

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Main Street, - Edmonton, Alta.

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Heavy :: Draught :: Stallion

Will make the season of 1894 as follows:
Monday, April 30th, will leave his own stable, and proceed by Morris' ranch, to Leduc for noon. Then by J. F. Elliott's, White Mud, to Black Bros., White Mud, for night.
Tuesday, to J. Walter's, upper ferry, Edmonton, for noon. Then to Eclipse stables, Edmonton, from 2 to 4 p. m. Then to Alex. McLeod's, Belmont, for night.
Wednesday morning will go by J. Menely's to Wm. Duke's for noon. Then by Horse Hill to E. Lewis' for night.
Thursday, cross at Clover Bar ferry, and to Wm. Daly's for noon, and K. Dinwoodie's, East Edmonton for night.
Friday, Commercial hotel, South Edmonton for noon, and Elliott Bros., Sandy Lake, for night.
Saturday, noon home to his own stable.

This route will be continued for the rest of the season, health and weather permitting.
See next week's papers and bills for correct stopping places and route.

TERMS:—Single service, \$4, to be paid down. Season, \$6, to be paid at last round of horse. Insurance, \$10, or \$1 off for each mare after the first, to be paid January 1st, 1895. Reduced prices for insurance to persons from a distance.

Parties disposing of their mares must pay all charges. Accidents to mares at owner's risk. Insured mares must be returned regularly or they will be charged as season mares.

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Fort Saskatchewan ALBERTA.

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GENERAL COMMISSION, REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE BROKER.

AGENT FOR
Several Fire Insurance Companies.
Insurance effected in Town or County at lowest rates.

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Fort Saskatchewan Townsite property.
Price of Lots from \$20 to \$250.

Free site given to Roller Process flour mill, or other manufacturing industry.
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Improved and Unimproved farms close to the Townsite.

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Anyone visiting Northern Alberta, should come and see

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Miss Armstrong, late of Vancouver, has opened up business over John Cameron's store, Jasper avenue. Having had fifteen years experience she feels confident of being able to give satisfaction. Ladies give her a trial.

WE WILL PAY

55 CENTS CASH

FOR NO. 1 HARD WHEAT

The Edmonton Milling Co'y,
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E. Raymer,

Watchmaker
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I am now selling watches from \$4.00 upwards.

A fine alarm clock only \$2.00, warranted for one year. Also 1 and 8-day striking clocks from \$3.00 to \$40.00.

A fine line of Jewelry and Silverware at Eastern prices.

Wedding rings, Gem rings always in stock.

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry Etc., repaired and guaranteed.

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S. RAYMER Prop.



Photographs of tombstones and monuments can be seen at my store. Orders solicited.

E. RAYMER,
Agent at Edmonton.

THE SHEPPARD TRIAL.

Court opened on Wednesday at 10 a.m. Mr. Justice Riddell was on the bench; the prisoner Thomas Ellsworth Sheppard in the custody of Sheriff Robertson and two mounted police constables. N. D. Beck, Crown prosecutor, appeared for the Crown, and J. C. F. Bown for the prisoner. The court room was filled with spectators. The prisoner looks well and has grown much stouter during his confinement. He is of medium height, good proportions, neither fair nor dark complexion, face good looking but not expressive. The short reddish whisker which he wore at the time of the trial has been shaved off and he now has only a light moustache. He did not seem to be impressed by his situation or to be more than ordinarily interested in the proceedings. The charge was read to the prisoner and he was asked to plead. He did not plead. He was asked whether he preferred to be tried by the judge alone or by a jury and decided that he would be tried by a jury. The jury list was then read and the following jury empaneled: D. Maloney, St. Albert; George P. Sanderson, Edmonton; W. Latimer, Poplar Lake; George Sutherland, Sturgeon; John Kennedy, Horse Hill Plain; T. G. Ross, Belmont. All but Mr. Sanderson are farmers. Messrs. Chas. Carson, John Menely and Murdoch McLeod were peremptorily challenged by the defence. The rest of the jury men who had been called were then dismissed by the judge, as there were no more jury cases to come up at this sitting of the court.

N. D. Beck, crown prosecutor, opened the case by addressing the jury. He spoke of the responsibility of the position of the jury who were vested with judicial authority, and charged with deciding as to the life or death of a fellow being. Their duty would be to listen to the evidence, weigh carefully and decide impartially. The oath which each had taken was binding on him as an individual. It was not a mere matter of vote in which the majority should rule. Each man must answer on his conscience for the verdict which he would give. The character of the murdered person should have no part in deciding the verdict. The duty of himself as crown prosecutor differed from the position which he would hold in a civil case. As crown prosecutor he occupied a position as a part of the court, and it was not his duty in the first place to secure a conviction against the prisoner, either on account of his being crown prosecutor or out of professional rivalry. His duty was to see that the case was fairly put, to assist the judge and jury in getting at the facts, and to have justice done the prisoner. Under the new criminal code now in force there was no room for the complications that might occur under the old system. It was clearly laid down that homicide might be culpable or non-culpable. Culpable homicide might be either murder or manslaughter. The punishment for the former was death and for the latter imprisonment. Killing was assumed to be murder. It was for the accused to prove that it was not murder. Provocation might reduce murder to manslaughter provided the provocation was of a sufficiently grave character. Homicide in self-defence is non-culpable. It was the privilege of the jury, if they considered the evidence warranted, to give a verdict of manslaughter instead of murder. No doubt the defence would seek to have the verdict reduced to manslaughter; perhaps on grounds of self-defence or of insanity. He then gave an outline of the evidence to be submitted, covering the same ground as the reports of the preliminary examination. One of the important witnesses at the preliminary examination, the Chinaman, Charles Yee, had gone to Calgary and thence to Nelson, B.C. He had not thought his evidence of sufficient importance to require his being brought here for the trial. An occurrence subsequent to the murder he could only allude to in a general way. While the prisoner was in custody at the barracks during the preliminary examination he made a voluntary statement to Dr. Watson. This statement had not been secured by any improper inducement offered by any one in authority and would be put in evidence during the course of the trial.

Mr. Chalmers, D.L.S., was the first witness called and identified and described a plan drawn by him of the house and grounds where the murder took place, which was filed for the information of the judge and jury and for reference. The size of the house where the murder was committed was 15x31 with lean to kitchen 9x14. The room in which the body was found was 9x9. This house was 81 feet from the shack occupied by the Chinaman.

J. V. E. Carpenter was called. His evidence coincided exactly with that given at the preliminary examination. His house was about 200 yards west of May Buchanan's. For about 50 yards around his house trees impeded the view from the lower storey, towards May Buchanan's, but the rest of the distance was clear. The view was clear from the upper storey. Between two and three o'clock on December 7th or 8th the Chinaman came to his house and told him there was a row going on in May's house. After speaking with the Chinaman for five minutes or less he started over to the house with him. On the way over, while about 80 or 90 yards distant, he saw a man outside the front door but could not say what he was doing. Did not recognize him and could not say just how he was dressed. This man went into the house almost immediately. He apparently saw the men coming. On reaching the house the Chinaman tried the front door by which the man went in and found it fastened. They then went to the back kitchen door and found it fastened. Then to the north window, in which there was a broken pane and inside which a heavy curtain hung. The Chinaman put his hand through the broken pane and pushed the curtain to one side. A man having dark trousers on, whom witness could see from the waist down, struck at the Chinaman's hand with a knife that looked like a butcher or bread knife. Witness called to May Buchanan, asking her if she wanted any help, but got no answer. He then told the man to open the door. He replied that he would not and would stab anybody who tried to get into the house. Witness told him he would send for the police if he did not open the door. He then heard some one leave the room and go to the kitchen door and open it. Witness went to the kitchen door.

The prisoner stood inside the door and witness passed by him into the kitchen. The prisoner had shirt and dark blue trousers on but no boots. On being asked where May Buchanan was he did not answer. Witness then went into the passage and into the front room followed by the

prisoner, but saw no one. He again asked where May Buchanan was. The prisoner then opened the door of the bedroom, marked C on the plan, and said "There she is," pointing to the body on the floor. The body was lying on its back with head towards the west and feet under the bed. It was lightly clad in night clothes and the face and head were partly covered with blood, which appeared to be fresh. Witness did not touch the body but thought the face and side of the head near the back had been wounded. Witness did not notice that the furniture had been damaged as by a struggle, but the bed clothes were tossed. Prisoner stood outside the door looking in and asked, "What are you going to do now?" Witness did not answer but went into the kitchen, where the prisoner followed and repeated the question. Witness did not answer but went outside of the door leaving Sheppard inside. The Chinaman was standing there and witness told him to go for the police, which he did. He had not seen the Chinaman in the house while he was in it. The witness then went to his house and got his gun, returning in four or five minutes accompanied by Walter Clark. Clark stood at the front door of the house, and witness went into the house by the kitchen door. The house was as he had left it a few minutes before. He called the prisoner but got no answer. Opening the bedroom door he saw the prisoner lying across the bed with his head to the partition and his feet projecting. He moved slightly and apparently looked at witness, but did not speak. Witness then shut the door and stood outside in the passage until the police arrived. He thought the person who let him in at the kitchen door were the same person but was not sure. Inspector Snyder entered the room where the prisoner was and took up an axe lying near the body, (axe produced and identified). After waiting for handcuffs, Inspector Snyder and two constables arrested the prisoner. Witness pointed out blood marks on the snow opposite the front door to Inspector Snyder. One of the marks was inside the fence and two or three outside. The fence was about three feet from the door and about a foot or two feet from the porch. Prisoner made no remark when arrested. He was brought out of the bedroom and sat in a chair in the front room. The constables brought his clothes and he assisted in putting them on. He was under arrest about ten minutes before he was taken away by the police. (Knife produced) would not know the knife, but the one produced would answer the description of the one used in striking at the Chinaman.

Cross examined by Mr. Bown. Did not feel nervous or rattled when in the house; the Chinaman may have followed me in and out again, but I did not see him; prisoner was in his stocking feet, but did not notice that his stockings left wet marks on the floor; prisoner was sober, but agitated; he offered no violence; He followed me into the front room and I followed him into the passage way; did not notice that the Chinaman was agitated; simply told Chinaman to go for the police; prisoner was not as seep when on the bed; do not remember seeing his eyes but he turned towards me as I opened the door; he did not jump up; did not recognize the voice at the window; one blood spot was a foot from the door and two outside the fence about eight feet from door; there were tracks inside the fence but none outside where the blood spots were; the marks were as though a person had swung his hand covered with blood; the man who came out went in at the same door; when the prisoner opened the door I saw no blood on his hands; did not see any blood on the hand that made the stab at the Chinaman; did not notice where anyone had washed his hands outside the door; there was a fresh fall of snow the night before, and quite a few tracks on the snow; did not notice the furniture disturbed, but the bed clothes were upset; did not see prisoner handcuffed; he assisted in putting on his clothes; he seemed rather dazed then, but did not notice that he was in any stupefied condition when first seen; first noticed it when he was brought out by the police; did not hear prisoner speak when putting on his clothes; he seemed stupefied when putting on his clothes; from the time I left the house to get my gun until I returned there would be time for a man to get away; if he took care to keep the house between us he could get a considerable distance away before I saw him.

Re-examined by Mr. Beck.—The wire fence was four feet from the front door; the porch was about three feet wide; there was a foot or two between the porch and fence; the gate was nearly in front of the front door; the outside spot of blood was about three feet beyond the fence; the snow was beaten up to the fence by footprints.

W. Clark was examined as to his accompanying Carpenter to the house. Insp. Snyder was examined as to the arrest, his evidence being the same as at the preliminary examination.

Constables Murray and Dalton gave evidence as to the arrest.

Dr. McInnis gave medical testimony as to the wound which caused death.

Dr. Tofteld had been medical attendant on both deceased and prisoner for some years, and testified as to habits of prisoner. This closed Wednesday's proceedings.

Court opened on Thursday morning at 10.30.

Dr. Tofteld was re-examined.

Dr. Watson was examined as to the confession made by Sheppard, after his arrest. This closed the case for the prosecution.

The defence called Dr. Tofteld to prove condition of mind of prisoner.

Dr. Baldwin was called and gave evidence as to an examination made of prisoner after his arrest.

McLean, a fellow employee of prisoner at Wetaskiwin, was examined as to his character.

F. Hamilton, of Wetaskiwin, in whose employ prisoner was, gave evidence as to character.

The case is still in progress, but it is expected that it will be concluded to-night.

At Plymouth, Pennsylvania, the origin of an epidemic of little hundred cases of typhoid fever, resulting in a hundred and twenty-five deaths, was traced directly to a dairy in which the disease first appeared and from which it was distributed in the milk.

The Medicine Hat Times alluding to the fact that the bill to provide the ballot in Dominion elections in the Northwest Territories was introduced by Mr. Martin, M.P. for Winnipeg, points out that this particularly Northwest measure was not introduced by a Northwest M.P. and says: "The whole situation seems to us to be fitly summed up thus: The people of the Northwest, though they keep some dogs of their own, have to get a neighbor's dog to do their barking, when any barking has got to be done."

The United States congress is having as much trouble with its new tariff bill as the Canadian parliament, and the tendency in both cases is in the same direction, namely to increase of the duties reduced by the tariff bill. The original Wilson bill was favorable to Canadian agricultural products. But proposed amendments place the duty on eggs at 5c. a dozen, on coal at 50c. a ton, potatoes 15c. a bushel, fish 4c. a pound, poultry dressed 2c., undressed 3c. a pound, cheese and butter 4c. a pound, barley 40 per cent.

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